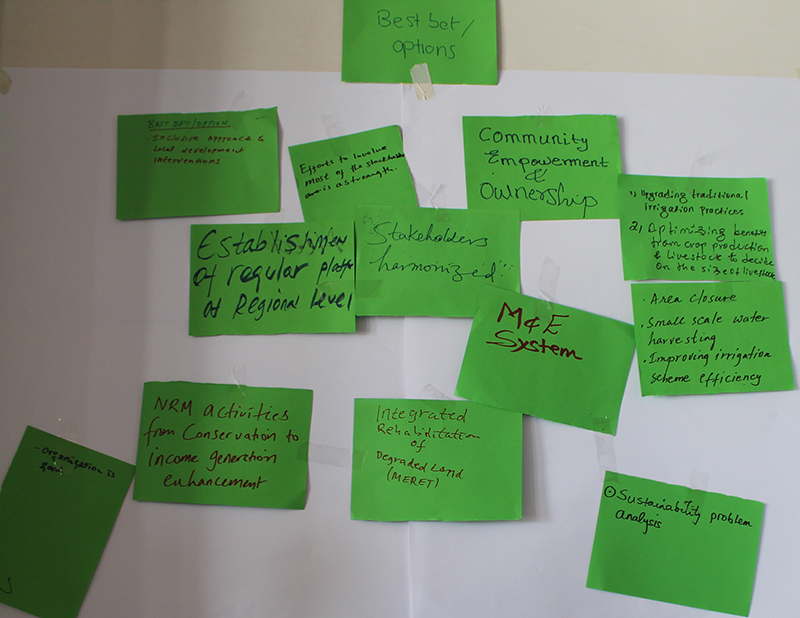
**Key issues to take forward**

* Buzz groups of 3–4 people
* Write on cards:
  + **1 Best-bet/option (green card)**
  + 1 lesson learned (yellow card)
  + 1 issue that needs to be addressed (red card)
* Write big; 3–5 words per card

**Best bet/option**



* Efforts to involve most of the stakeholders is a strength
* Inclusive approach to local development interventions
* Establishment of regular platform at regional level
* Stakeholders harmonized
* Community empowerment and ownership
* Upgrading traditional irrigation practices
* Optimizing benefits from crop production and livestock to decide on the size of livestock
* Area closure
* Small scale water harvesting
* Improving irrigation scheme efficiency
* M & E system
* Organization is good
* Sustainability problem analysis
* Integrated rehabilitation of degraded land (MERET)
* NRM activities from conservation to income generation enhancement